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FOR THE IDENTIFICATION, ASSESSMENT,
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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

This communication is in response to the Office Action dated October 6, 2005. A request for the appropriate extension of time in which to respond is being filed herewith. Please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin at page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.